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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated March 31, 2008, finally rejecting claims 7, 17, 19, 20 and 27.

Applicants request an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 3 month(s) to and including September 30, 2008.

Please apply the fee of \$255 for the appeal fee, and any other applicable charges or credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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